

## CONTRACT OF SALE

CONTRACT dated as of the 17 day of September 2024 (this "Contract"), between Walsam 316, LLC, Walsam 316 Bowery LLC, Walsam Bleecker LLC, Lawber Bowery LLC and 316 Bowery Next Generation LLC, (collectively, the "Seller" or "Debtor") and 4-6 Bleecker St LLC having an address at 35 Journal Square 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Jersey City NJ 07306 ("Purchaser").

Seller and Purchaser hereby covenant and agree as follows:

### 1. Sale of Property

Paragraph 1.01. Seller shall sell or cause to be sold to Purchaser, and Purchaser shall purchase, at the price and upon the terms and conditions set forth in this Contract: the real properties located at 4-6 Bleecker St, New York, New York (collectively, the "Property"). The sale of the Property includes (a) all of its appurtenances, including any estate, right, title, interest, property, claim and demand of Seller in and to all streets, alleys, rights-of-way, sidewalks, easements, any adjoining gores or strips of land and utility lines or agreements, including, without limitation, all development rights and "air rights"; (b) all improvements, buildings and structures located on or at the Property and the facilities located thereon, and any apparatus, equipment, appliances and fixtures incorporated therein and used exclusively in connection with the operation and occupancy thereof; (c) all plans, specifications, budgets, schedules, surveys, drawings, reports and governmental applications, permits, approvals and licenses issued by any federal, state or local governmental authority or agency pertaining to the ownership, operation, maintenance, development, construction or use of the Property (collectively, the "Plans and Permits"); and (d) all of its rights and licenses in and to use the Plans and Permits.

Paragraph 1.02. Purchaser acknowledges that the Sale shall be conducted pursuant to an Order of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (hereinafter the "Bankruptcy Court") in Case No. 24-11231 (MEW), entitled "Bidding and Auction Procedures" (hereinafter the "Bidding Procedures") which was approved by the Bankruptcy Court on Sept. 16, 2024 and is deemed annexed to this Contract.

Paragraph 1.03. Purchaser acknowledges that this sale is subject to and governed by (1) the Orders of the Bankruptcy Court, (2) the provisions of the United States Bankruptcy Code (hereinafter the "Code"), (3) the laws of the State of New York, to the extent they do not conflict with (1) and (2), above, and (4) the Bidding and Auction Procedures approved pursuant to the motion of the Seller.

## 2. Purchase Price, Acceptable Funds

Paragraph 2.01. The purchase price ("Purchase Price") to be paid by Purchaser to Seller for the Property is \$2,325,000<sup>w</sup> Dollars or such other bid by the Purchaser approved by the Bankruptcy Court, payable as follows:

(A) the sum of \$ 232,500<sup>w</sup> on the signing of this Contract, by Purchaser's check payable to the Escrowee (as hereinafter defined), subject to collection, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, to be held in escrow pursuant to Bidding Procedures as defined in Article 3 hereof (the "Down Payment").

(B) THIS CONTRACT IS "ALL CASH" AS KNOWN IN THE COMMON PARLANCE. PURCHASER'S OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS CONTRACT ARE NOT CONDITIONED UPON PURCHASER'S ABILITY TO SECURE FINANCING OF ANY KIND OR NATURE.

(C) The balance at Closing (as hereinafter defined) in accordance with Section 2.02 hereof (the "Cash Balance").

Paragraph 2.02. All monies payable under this Contract, unless otherwise specified herein, shall be paid by (a) official bank checks drawn by any such banking institution, payable to the order of Seller (or as Seller shall direct) and bearing no endorsements; or (b) wire transfer of immediately available federal funds. Attorney's Escrow Checks of Purchaser payable to the order of Seller (or as Seller directs) up to the amount of \$1,000.00 in the aggregate shall be acceptable for sums other than the Purchase Price payable to Seller at Closing. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Purchaser is the holder of indebtedness evidenced by one or more promissory notes issued by one or more of the entities comprising Seller, Purchaser may offset against the Purchase Price due hereunder all sums due to Purchaser under such promissory notes on the date of closing.

## 3. Escrow of Down Payment

Paragraph 3.01. (a) The Down Payment shall be paid by check or checks drawn to the order of and delivered to Backenroth Frankel & Krinsky LLP ("Escrowee"). Escrowee shall hold the Down Payment in escrow in a non-interest-bearing IOLA Account until the Closing or sooner termination of this Contract and shall pay over or apply the Down Payment in accordance with the terms of this section. At the Closing, the Down Payment shall be paid by Escrowee in accordance with Bidding Procedures. If for any reason the Closing does not occur and either party makes a written demand upon Escrowee for payment of such amount, Escrowee shall give written notice to the other party of such demand. If Escrowee does not receive a written objection from the other party to the proposed payment within 10 business days after the giving of such notice, Escrowee is hereby authorized to make such payment. If Escrowee does receive such written objection within such 10-day period or if for any other reason Escrowee in good faith shall elect not to make such

payment, Escrowee shall continue to hold such amount until otherwise directed by written instructions from the parties to this Contract or pursuant to an order of the Bankruptcy Court. However, Escrowee shall have the right at any time to deposit the escrowed proceeds and interest, if any, thereon, with the clerk of the Bankruptcy Court. Escrowee shall give written notice of such deposit to Seller and Purchaser. Upon such deposit Escrowee shall be relieved and discharged of all further obligations and responsibilities hereunder.

(b) The parties acknowledge that Escrowee is acting solely as a stakeholder at their request and for their convenience, that Escrowee shall not be deemed to be the agent of either of the parties, and that Escrowee shall not be liable to either of the parties for any act or omission on its part unless taken or suffered in bad faith, in willful disregard of this Contract or involving gross negligence. Seller and Purchaser shall jointly and severally indemnify and hold Escrowee harmless from and against all costs, claims and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, incurred in connection with the performance of Escrowee's duties hereunder, except with respect to actions or omissions taken or suffered by Escrowee in bad faith, in willful disregard of this Contractor involving gross negligence on the part of the Escrowee.

(c) Escrowee or any member of its firm shall be permitted to act as counsel for the Seller in any dispute as to the disbursement of the Down Payment or any other dispute between the parties whether or not Escrowee is in possession of the Down Payment and continues to act as Escrowee.

(d) Escrowee acknowledges receipt of the Down Payment by certified, bank check subject to collection or wire transmission and Escrowee's agreement to these provisions by signing in the place indicated on the signature page of this contract.

#### 4. The Closing

Paragraph 4.01. The conveyance of title to the Property by the Seller to Purchaser, and payment of the Cash Balance by Purchaser, shall take place on the date ("Purchaser's Mandatory Closing Date") which, subject to entry of an Order approving the Contract, shall be October 1, 2024 at 4:00 p.m. Prevailing Eastern time (the "Closing"). The Closing is to be held at the office of the Escrowee, or such other location as designated by the Seller within the Southern District of New York. Time is of the essence with respect to Purchaser's obligations to close title in accordance with this Contract on or before Purchaser's Mandatory Closing Date.

#### 5. Acknowledgments and Representations of Purchaser

Purchaser acknowledges and represents that:

Paragraph 5.01. Purchaser has inspected the Property, made all appropriate inquiries into the previous ownership and uses of the Property, is fully familiar with the physical condition and state of repair thereof, and shall accept the Property "as is" and in their present condition, including, without limitation, the environmental conditions as reflected in the Terms of Sale

annexed hereto, without any reduction of the Purchase Price for any change in such condition by any reason thereof subsequent to the date of this Contract. The Property is being sold subject to existing leases. The Property is being sold "AS IS", "WHERE IS" "WITH ALL FAULTS", without any representations, covenants, guarantees or warranties of any kind or nature whatsoever and subject to, among other things, (a) any state of facts that an accurate survey may show; (b) any covenants, restrictions and easements of record; (c) any state of facts a physical inspection may show; (d) any building or zoning ordinances or other applicable municipal regulations and violations thereof; and (e) environmental conditions, including, without limitation, the Property's compliance (or lack of compliance) with environmental laws and the presence or absence of underground fuel storage tanks, any hazardous materials or asbestos anywhere on the Property. Purchaser has had the opportunity to review and inspect the Property, the state of title thereof and laws, rules and regulations applicable thereto, and will rely solely thereon and on its own independent investigations and inspections of the Property in making its bid. Seller has not made and does not make any representations as to the physical condition, rents, leases, expenses, operations, value of the land or buildings thereon, or any other matter or thing affecting or related to the Property or the sale, including, without limitation, (i) the current or future real estate tax liability, assessment or valuation of the Property; (ii) the potential qualification of the Property for any and all benefits conferred by or available under federal, state or municipal laws, whether for subsidies, special real estate tax treatment, insurance, mortgages, or any other benefits, whether similar or dissimilar to those enumerated; (iii) the compliance or non-compliance of the Property, in its current or any future state, with applicable present or future zoning ordinances or other land use law or regulation, or the ability to obtain a change in the zoning or use, or a variance in respect to the Property; (iv) the availability of any financing for the purchase, alteration, rehabilitation or operation of the Property from any source, including, but not limited to, any state, city or federal government or institutional lender; (v) the current or future use of the Property; (vi) the present and future condition and operating state of any and all machinery or equipment on the Property and the present or future structural and physical condition of any building thereon or its suitability for rehabilitation or renovation; (vii) the ownership or state of title of any personal property on the Property; (viii) the presence or absence of any laws, ordinances, rules, rent regulations, or other regulations, or other regulations of any governmental authority, agency or board and any violations thereof; (ix) any present or future issues concerning subdivision or non-subdivision of the Property; or (x) the compliance or non-compliance with environmental laws and the presence or absence of underground fuel storage tanks, any asbestos or other hazardous materials anywhere on the Property. Each bidder shall be deemed to have agreed and acknowledged that no such representations have been made. Seller is not liable or bound in any manner by expressed or implied warranties, guaranties, promises, statements, representations or information pertaining to the Property, made or furnished by Seller or any real estate broker agent, employee, servant or other person or professional representing or purporting to represent Seller unless such warranties, guaranties, promises, statements, representations or information are expressly and specifically set forth in writing herein.

Paragraph 5.02. Before entering into this Contract, Purchaser has made such examination of the Property, the physical condition and state of repair thereof including the environmental

conditions. Purchaser acknowledges that it is an experienced real estate owner/operator and is relying solely on its own expertise and investigations and inspections in entering into this Contract and has not been induced by and has not relied upon any representations, warranties, or statements, whether express or implied, made by Seller or any agent, employee, or other representative of Seller or by any other person representing or purporting to represent Seller, which are not expressly set forth in this Contract, whether or not any such representations, warranties or statements were made in writing or orally.

Paragraph 5.03. In the event of any default by the Purchaser in the terms of this Contract, the damages which are due to the Seller, by reason of said default, shall be deemed liquidated in the amount of the Down Payment, as Seller's sole remedy, it being agreed that Seller's damages in case of such default might be impossible to ascertain with mathematical precision and that the Down Payment constitutes a fair and reasonable amount of damages under the circumstances and is not a penalty. In the event of any default by the Seller under of this Contract, Seller's sole obligation shall be to return the Down Payment to Purchaser. Thereafter, the parties shall have no further liabilities to the other hereunder.

Paragraph 5.04. Purchaser represents that (a) it has the legal power, right and authority to enter into this Agreement and to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby and that all requisite action has been taken by Purchaser in connection with the entering into this Contract and the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby; (b) this Contract and all documents required hereby to be executed by Purchaser are and will be valid, legally binding obligations of and enforceable against Purchaser in accordance with their terms (c) Purchaser, and all direct or indirect beneficial owners of Purchaser, are in compliance with all applicable laws, statutes, rules and regulations of any federal, state or local governmental authority in the United States of America, including the requirements of Executive Order No. 13224, 66 Fed. Reg. 49079 (Sept. 25, 2001) (the "Order") and other similar requirements contained in the rules and regulations of the Office of Foreign Asset Control, Department of the Treasury ("OFAC") and in any related enabling legislation or other Executive Orders (collectively, the "Orders"). Neither Purchaser nor any of the direct or indirect beneficial owners of Purchaser (i) is listed on the Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List maintained by OFAC pursuant to the Order and/or on any other list of terrorists or terrorist organizations maintained pursuant to any of the rules and regulations of OFAC or pursuant to any other applicable Orders (such lists are collectively referred to as the "Lists") or is owned or controlled by, or acts for or on behalf of, any Person on the Lists or who has been determined by competent authority to be subject to the prohibitions contained in the Orders; (ii) has been arrested for money laundering or for predicate crimes to money laundering, convicted or pled nolo contendere to charges involving money laundering or predicate crimes to money laundering; or (iii) has been determined by competent authority to be subject to the prohibitions contained in the Orders; (iv) is owned or controlled by, nor acts for or on behalf of, any natural person or entity (a "Person") on the Lists or any other Person who has been determined by competent authority to be subject to the prohibitions contained in the Orders; (v) will transfer or permit the transfer of any interest in Purchaser or such parties to any Person

who is, or whose beneficial owners are, listed on the Lists; or (vi) will assign this Agreement or any interest herein, to any Person who is listed on the Lists or who is engaged in illegal activities.

6. Destruction, Damage or Condemnation

Paragraph 6.01. The provisions of Section 5-1311 of the General Obligations Law shall not apply to the sale and purchase provided for in this Contract and Purchaser agrees to close title to the Property regardless of any destruction, damage or condemnation that occurs after the execution and delivery of this Contract.

7. Seller's Closing Obligations

At the closing, Seller shall execute and/or deliver or cause to be executed and/or delivered to Purchaser the following:

Paragraph 7.01. A bargain and sale deed without covenants against grantor's acts, executed by the Seller in proper form for recording so as to convey to Purchaser the fee title to the Property, subject to recorded encumbrances and the other conditions of this Contract.

Paragraph 7.02. All required New York City and State transfer tax returns executed by the Seller to be issued at the Closing and delivered to the representative of Purchaser's title company for delivery to the appropriate public officers promptly after the Closing.

Paragraph 7.03. The right to possession of the Property in condition required by this Contract, subject to the provisions hereinabove and to the provisions of the Code and the laws of the State of New York governing the rights to possession upon the conveyance of the deed subject to any Order of the Bankruptcy Court and the Bidding Procedures. Seller shall not be obligated to bring any motion or proceeding for the purpose of obtaining possession of any part of the Property, or to remove any tenant or occupant therefrom after delivery of the Deed.

Paragraph 7.04. An assignment of the Seller's leases with tenants of the Property.

Paragraph 7.05. A letter to all tenants advising the tenants of the sale of the Property to Purchaser and directing the tenants to make all payments of future rent to Purchaser at the address given by Purchaser;

Paragraph 7.06. Any other documents required by this Contract or by law to be delivered by Seller to consummate this transaction.

8. Purchaser's Closing Obligations

At the Closing, Purchaser shall execute and/or deliver:

Paragraph 8.01. The Cash Balance to the Seller.

Paragraph 8.02. All required New York City and State transfer tax returns, and cause all such returns to be issued at the Closing and delivered to the representative of Purchaser's title company for delivery to the appropriate public officers promptly after the Closing. Purchaser will pay any and all applicable transfer taxes and recording fees, unless the sale is free and clear of same pursuant to order of the Bankruptcy Court.

Paragraph 8.03 An assignment and assumption of leases with tenants of the Property.

Paragraph 8.03. Any other documents required by this Contract or by law or reasonably required by Seller to be executed and/or delivered by Purchaser to consummate this transaction.

#### 9. Apportionments

Paragraph 9.01. The parties specifically acknowledge that there shall be no apportionments made as of the date of Closing, whether for taxes, water or sewer charges, emergency repair liens, assessments, rents, fuel, or any other matters relating hereto.

#### 10. Objections to Sale

Paragraph 10.01. This Contract shall automatically terminate if the Court rejects the Sale or if Seller shall be unable to cause title to the Property to be conveyed to Purchaser at the Closing Date or any adjournments thereof in accordance with the provisions of this Contract and the Bidding Procedures. Purchaser nevertheless may elect either (i) to accept such title as Seller may be able to convey, but without any abatement of or other credit to the Purchase Price or liability on the part of Seller; or (ii) to terminate this Contract. The sole liability of Seller shall be to refund the Down Payment and interest thereon, if any, to the Purchaser and this Contract shall be null and void and the parties hereto shall be relieved of all further obligations and liability. Seller shall not be required to bring any action or proceeding or to incur any expense to cure any title defect or to enable Seller otherwise to comply with the provisions of this Contract, except as may otherwise be provided in this Contract.

Paragraph 10.02. Purchaser shall take title to the Property "as is" and subject to any state of facts an accurate survey may show; encroachments, covenants, easements, and restrictions of record, if any; violations, fines, penalties, zoning regulations, and ordinances of the City of New York. Purchaser is aware of and agrees to the Terms of Sale which are attached to this Contract and which are incorporated in this Contract by this reference as though fully set forth herein at length.

#### 11. Notices

Paragraph 11.01. All notices under this Contract shall be in writing and shall be delivered personally, by nationally recognized overnight courier, addressed to Seller's attorney at the address set forth below, and to Purchaser addressed to Purchaser's attorney at the address set forth below.

Seller's Attorney: Backenroth Frankel & Krinsky, LLP, 488 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10022.

Purchaser's Attorney: Larry Andlesman, Esq.

12. Limitations on Survival of Representations, Warranties, Covenants and other Obligations

Paragraph 12.01. Except as otherwise expressly set forth in this Contract, no representations, warranties, covenants or other obligations of Seller and/or Purchaser set forth herein shall survive the Closing, and no action based thereon shall be commenced after the Closing.

Paragraph 12.02. The delivery of the deed by the Seller and the acceptance thereof by Purchaser shall be deemed the full performance and discharge of every obligation on the part of Seller to be performed hereunder, except those obligations, if any, of Seller which are expressly stated in this Contract to survive.

13. Assignment of Contract

Paragraph 13.01. Purchaser shall not assign this Contract or its rights hereunder without the prior written consent of the Seller, whose consent will not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. Additionally, Purchaser may assign its rights under this Contract, but only immediately before the Closing to any wholly owned subsidiary of Purchaser, or to any entity in which Purchaser, or its principals, has an equity interest of at least fifty-one (51%) percent and control of management (a "Controlled Entity"), upon appropriate proof of same delivered to Seller. Any purported assignment without Seller's consent or that is not to a Controlled Entity with proof of such relationship given to Seller shall be void. Any sale, transfer or assignment of any interests in Purchaser will be deemed an assignment of this Contract and is subject to the same conditions as an assignment of this Contract. Nevertheless, an assignment of Purchaser's rights under this Contract, if and when consented to by Seller, shall not be effective unless and until an executed counterpart of the instrument of assignment and of an assumption agreement by the assignee shall have been delivered to Seller.

Paragraph 13.02. Seller shall assign pending tax certiorari actions, if any, to Purchaser without any representations or warranties, and without any further obligation of Seller, except to execute such documents as may be necessary to effectuate such assignment.

14. Miscellaneous Provisions



Paragraph 14.01 THE PROVISIONS OF THE BIDDING PROCEDURES APPROVED BY THE BANKRUPTCY COURT AND THE ORDERS OF THE BANKRUPTCY COURT ARE A PART OF THIS CONTRACT. ANY CONFLICT WITH SUCH IN THIS CONTRACT WILL NOT BE DEEMED TO AMEND OR ALTER SAID PROCEDURES OR ORDERS. PURCHASER CONSENTS TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE BANKRUPTCY COURT TO DETERMINE ANY DISPUTES BETWEEN SELLER AND PURCHASER UNDER SELLER'S PENDING CASES BEFORE THE BANKRUPTCY COURT.

Paragraph 14.02. Subject to the provisions of Paragraph 14.01, this Contract embodies and constitutes the entire understanding between the parties with respect to the transaction contemplated hereby, and all prior agreements, understandings, representations and statements, oral or written, are merged into this Contract. Neither this Contract nor any provision hereof may be waived, modified, amended, discharged, or terminated except by an instrument signed by the party against whom the enforcement of such waiver, modification, amendment, discharge, or termination is sought, and then only to the extent set forth in such instrument.

Paragraph 14.03. This Contract shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Bankruptcy Code and the Orders of the Bankruptcy Court and, where it does not conflict with the Bankruptcy Code or any Order of the Bankruptcy Court, the laws of the State of New York. The Bankruptcy Court shall have the exclusive jurisdiction to determine any disputes concerning the sale of the Property or any other matters under this Contract.

Paragraph 14.04. The captions in this Contract are inserted for convenience or reference only and in no way define, describe, or limit the scope or intent of this Contract or any of the provisions hereof.

Paragraph 14.05. This Contract shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective heirs or successors and permitted assigns.

Paragraph 14.06. This Contract shall not be binding or effective until properly executed and delivered by Seller and Purchaser, together with all amounts required to be paid pursuant to 2.01 (A) hereto. This Contract may be executed in counterparts each of which will constitute an original and all of which, when taken together, will constitute one and the same agreement. A signed counterpart of this Contract delivered by electronic transmission will be treated as an original.

Paragraph 14.07. As used in this Contract, the masculine shall include the feminine and neuter, the singular shall include the plural, and the plural shall include the singular, as the context may require.

Paragraph 14.08. Subject to Paragraph 14.01, if the provisions of any schedule or rider to this Contract are inconsistent with the provisions of this Contract, the provisions of such schedule or rider shall prevail.

Paragraph 14.09 Seller shall not be liable or responsible for the payment of fees of any broker retained by Purchaser.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Contract as of the date first above written:

Seller:

Purchaser:

By: Ephraim Diamond  
Name: Ephraim Diamond  
Title: CRO

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Backenroth Frankel & Krinsky, LLP,  
Escrowee:

By: Mark Frankel  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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Purchaser:

By: Reuven Salman  
Name: Reuven Salman  
Title: Auth. Sign.

Backenroth Frankel & Krinsky, LLP,  
Escrowee:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title: